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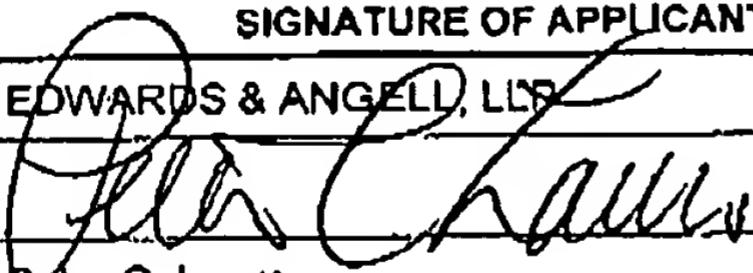
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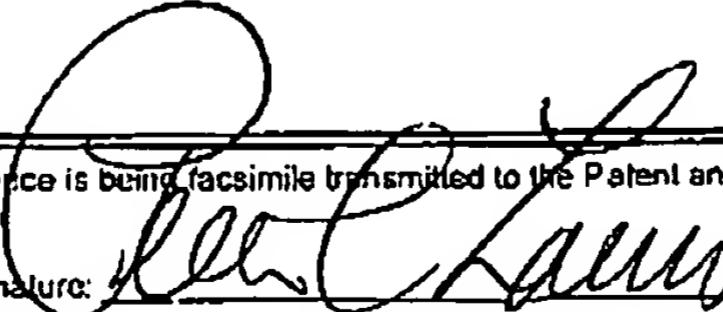
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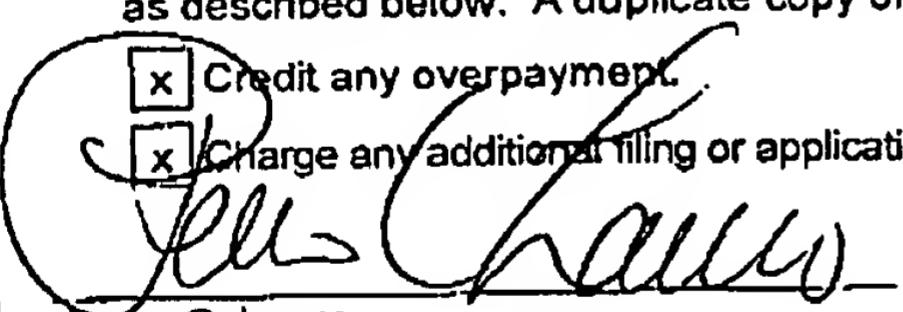
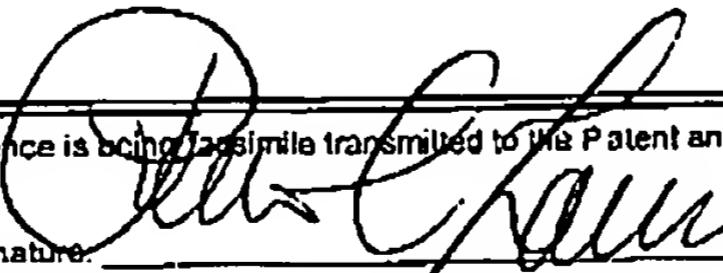
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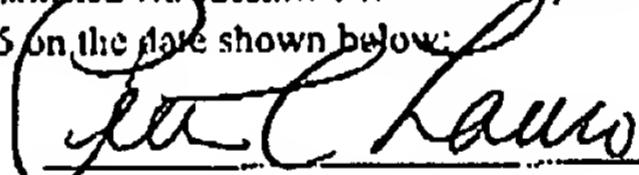
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This document is submitted in response to the final Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 2, 2005. Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.